IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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sabella ROLLAT-CORVAL et al.) Group Art Unit: 1617
Application No.: 10/706,048) Examiner: Layla Soroush
Filed: November 13, 2003))) Confirmation No.: 9222
For: COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE BRANCHED SULPHONIC POLYESTER AND AT LEAST ONE CONDITIONING AGENT)) <u>VIA EFS WEB</u>)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed October 4, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks. This Amendment and Reply is timely filed in light of the Petition for extension of time of one-month and fee filed concurrently herewith, extending the due date for response to February 4, 2008.

Amendments to the Specification begin at page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin at page 3 of this paper.

 $\label{lem:reconstruction} \textbf{Remarks/Arguments} \ \ \text{follow the amendment sections of this paper}.$